



NICKNAMES OF STATES

Ala.—"Cotton," "Lizard."  
Ariz.—"Sunset," "Apache."  
Ark.—"Bear," "Bowie."  
Cal.—"Golden," "El Dorado."  
Col.—"Centennial," "Silver."  
Conn.—"Nutmeg," "Freestone."  
Del.—"Diamond," "Blue Hen."  
Fla.—"Peninsula," "Everglade."  
Ga.—"Cracker," "Buzzard."  
Idaho.—"Gem."  
Ill.—"Sucker," "Prairie."  
Ind.—"Hoosier."  
Iowa.—"Hawkeye."  
Kan.—"Sunflower," "Jayhawk."  
Ky.—"Blue Grass," "Corn-cracker."  
La.—"Pelican," "Creole."  
Me.—"Pine Tree," "Old Dirigo."  
Md.—"Old Line," "Cockade."  
Mass.—"Bay," "Old Colony."  
Mich.—"Volverine," "Auto."  
Minn.—"Gopher," "North Star."  
Miss.—"Bayou," "Eagle."  
Mo.—"Ozark," "Iron Mountain."  
Mont.—"Stub Toe," "Bonanza."  
Neb.—"Antelope," "Black Water."

Nev.—"Silver," "Sage Brush."  
N. H.—"Granite."  
N. J.—"Jersey Blue," "Garden."  
New Spain.  
N. M.—"Sunshine," "Spanish."  
N. Y.—"Empire," "Excelsior."  
N. C.—"Old North," "Turpentine."  
"Tar Heel."  
N. D.—"Flickertail," "Sioux."  
Ohio.—"Buckeye."  
Okla.—"Boomer."  
Ore.—"Beaver," "Web-Foot."  
Pa.—"Keystone," "Steel," "Coal."  
R. I.—"Little Rhody," "Plantation."  
S. C.—"Palmetto."  
S. D.—"Sunshine," "Swiagecat."  
Tenn.—"Big Bend," "Volunteer."  
"Hog-and-Hominy."  
Tex.—"Lone Star," "Beef."  
Utah.—"Desert," "Mormon."  
Vt.—"Green Mountain."  
Va.—"Old Dominion," "Mother."  
Wash.—"Evergreen," "Chinook."  
W. Va.—"Panhandle."  
Wis.—"Badger," "Copper."  
Wyo.—"Equality" (Suffrage Pioneer.)

ANOTHER BANK FAILURE

The Farmers Savings bank at Popular Bluff, Mo., closed at 7 o'clock Saturday morning, following a check made by State Bank Examiner Millsap after a week's investigation. A sign was hung on the door after business hours Saturday morning announcing the closing. T. W. Daugherty is president, W. G. Boyd, vice president and L. W. Chapman cashier. Heavy loans are said to have been the cause of the bank closing, although no statement has yet made. Total loans of approximately \$225,000 with overdrafts of \$4,672 were shown on the last official statement issued December 14, 1922. The capital stock is \$25,000, with a surplus fund of \$15,000 and undivided profits of \$10,000.7 with total bank about \$150,000. This is the first bank closing in

the history of Popular Bluff. The bank had approximately 500 depositors. There was no unusual excitement there as a result of the bank closing and only a few persons visited the institution. The postmaster had federal money in the bank to be used to pay off postoffice employees Saturday.

**WHEN YOU ARE CONSTIPATED**  
To insure a healthy action of the bowels and correct disorders of the liver, take two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They will not only cause a gentle movement of the bowels, but banish that dull stupid feeling that often accompanies constipation.

See Mary Pickford in "Little Lord Fauntleroy," American Theatre, December 25th and 26th. Complete show each night. 47

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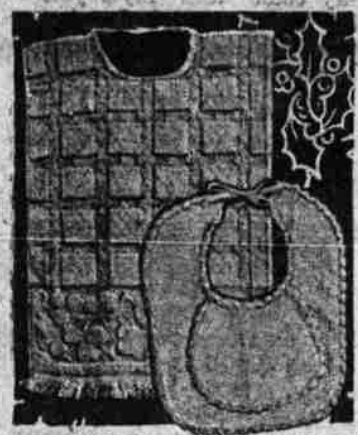
BRUNSWICK, MISSOURI

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21 1922—  
NORMA TALMADGE in "THE FORBIDDEN CITY." ALSO JHONNY JONES in "BROADCASTING"—Admission 25 and 10c

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 23, 1923—  
"MOTHER O' MINE," a wonderful drama of mother love, with an all star cast, including Lloyd Hughes, Betty Blythe, Claire McDonald and Betty Ross Clark. Some people say it is better than "The Old Nest."—Admission 25 and 10c

Shopping Hints

To Remember the Baby



Everyone wants to remember the baby and here are two bits for him, one of them made of pink and white Turkish toweling and the other of honeycomb cotton. The square bib is bound with tape which provides the ties and the edges of the smaller bib are finished with a shell crochet of mercerized cotton.

This Year's Camisoles



Every Christmas brings its camisoles and this year's are the daintiest ever. Many of them are made of net and lace, like the model pictured here; others, less transparent, of crepe de chine satin, wide ribbons or georgette. Baby ribbon adjusts them at the bust line and flat elastic at the waist. They are easily made and are lovely gifts from woman to woman.

The "Kicker"

Installed in a few minutes—no bolts or screws—no oiling or greasing—hidden from sight—installed or removed without injury, change or effect to your car.

J. W. Taylor  
KEYTESVILLE, MO.

ISN'T IT AWFUL, MABEL?

Hard luck. It is reported that the local stock of prescription whiskey has become extinguished. Can't help but wonder what—aw, what's the use? Moonshine can yet be procured—why worry.

Among Home-Made Toys



Among the things that delight little folks are dolls and small animals made of elderdown flannel or Turkish toweling, and painted with water color paints. The doll and dressed-up kitten pictured here, are among them. The doll's face may be made of a piece of ribbed stocking and the kitten's face and clothes are painted on.

and on or before the first day of said term, if the term shall so long continue—and if not, then on or before the last day of said term—answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the Chariton Courier a weekly newspaper published in this County for four weeks successively, and published at least once a week for four weeks the last insertion to be at least 30 days before the first day of the said term of this court.

W. G. WRIGHT  
Clerk

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of Chariton County, this 23rd day of November 1922.  
(SEAL)  
W. G. WRIGHT  
Circuit Clerk

TRUSTEE'S SALE BY SHERIFF

Whereas, M. J. O'Connell and Nellie L. O'Connell, his wife, by their certain deed of trust dated March 1, 1921, and recorded in Book 56, at page 48, Deed of Trust Records of Chariton County, Missouri, conveyed to O. P. Ray, Trustee, the following described property: The west half of the south west quarter of section twenty-four (24), township fifty-five (55), range nineteen (19), Chariton County, Missouri, said conveyance being made to secure the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust described and the interest thereon, and Whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note, and Whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that in the event of absence, death or refusal to act on the part of the said trustee that the sheriff of Chariton county, Missouri should perform the duties of said trustee, and Whereas, said trustee has refused to act in the premises.

Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note and in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust, I, the undersigned sheriff of Chariton county, Missouri, as trustee, will on Saturday, the 23rd day of December, 1922, at the East door of the court house, in the City of Keytesville, Missouri, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the above described property for the purpose of satisfying the indebtedness described in said deed of trust and the costs of the execution of this trust.

A. S. WILKS  
Sheriff.

December 8-15-22-23, 1922.

SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER A DEED OF TRUST AS TRUSTEE

Notice is hereby given that whereas, Fred Kersin and Elsie Kersin, husband and wife, by their certain deed of trust dated on the 24th day of November, 1917, filed for record on the 28th day of November, 1917, and recorded in book 47, at page 444 of the deed of trust record of Char-

iton County, Missouri, conveyed to John L. Schmitz, as trustee, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the County of Chariton, State of Missouri, to wit: The east half of Section 24, township 55, range 19, and the east half of the southeast quarter of section 24, township 55, range 19, containing four hundred acres, more or less, and Whereas, said deed of trust was made subject to a prior deed of trust for sixteen thousand dollars to the Peters Trust Company, and Whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case of default in the payment of said note and interest thereon, secured by said deed of trust, then said deed of trust may be foreclosed at the request of the legal holder of said note, and

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note secured by said deed of trust, and whereas, on the 23rd day of November, 1922, said deed of trust was ordered foreclosed by the circuit court of Chariton County, Missouri, by its decree and order to the undersigned sheriff of Chariton County, Missouri, upon the court's finding that said John L. Schmitz had refused to act as such a trustee, and its finding that said note together with the interest thereon was past due and that said deed of trust was under the condition thereof subject to be foreclosed as provided thereby.

Now, therefore, I, the undersigned, sheriff of Chariton County, Missouri, at the request of the legal holder of said note and by virtue and authority of the decree and order of the court of Chariton County, Missouri, made on the 23rd day of November, 1922, will proceed to sell the real estate above described at public vendue to the highest bidder at the court house door (south side) in the City of Keytesville, Chariton County, Missouri, for cash, on Friday, the 5th day of January, 1923, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that date, subject to said prior encumbrance, for the purpose of paying said note, interest and costs as provided by said deed of trust securing said note and as provided and authorized by the decree and order of this court.

A. S. WILKS,  
Sheriff of Chariton County, Mo.  
Dec. 15-22-23, 1922, Jan. 5, 1923.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Keytesville, Mo., December 6, 1922.  
Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholders' meeting of the Farmers Bank of Chariton County will be held at its banking house in the City of Keytesville, Missouri, on Monday, the first day of January, 1923.  
Said meeting will be convened at 9 o'clock a. m. and continued during at least three hours, unless the object for which such meeting is called be accomplished sooner.  
The purpose for which this meeting is called is to elect directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting.  
Also to vote upon the following propositions: (a) to reduce the number of directors from seven to five; (b) to amend section two of the by-laws, which requires the cashier of the bank to be a director.  
Attest:  
H. C. MILLER, Secretary.  
A. S. TAYLOR, President.

MARRIED IN MOBERLY

Benjamin F. Taylor and Miss Goldena Dean were married at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon by Rev. A. M. Buchanan, at his residence, 221 South Fourth street.

The groom is a prosperous young farmer living 10 miles north of Keytesville.

The bride is a school teacher and her home was north of Keytesville. She will continue through the school year to preside at her school at Byrumville.

Mary Pickford, American Theatre, Dec. 25th and 26th, in "Little Lord Fauntleroy," prices 25c for children and 40c for adults, war tax included. 47

NO STOP IN COURIER PUBLICATION

The Courier will be issued as ever next week. Notices in papers published here and there tell of no paper for Christmas-New Year's week. The Courier policy will not admit of such a course. During the last three weeks a great deal of reading matter has been necessarily crowded out because of the advertising announcements of merchants. The Courier with its splendid circulation is fast becoming one of the most dependable advertising mediums in this part of the state. The Courier, under its present regime, has not missed a copy in a year and a half, and neither has the Courier missed getting into the mails Thursday morning. Advertising

ers appreciate this and are using the Courier columns more and more. The special Thanksgiving addition to the Courier was thoroughly appreciated by its readers and the Editor has received many compliments on the enterprise. Next week we shall run appropriate New Year features which will be of interest to our increasing family of readers.

A VAULT THAT KEEPS OUT ALL WATER

NOT one drop of water can enter this vault, because it is constructed on the "diving bell" principle, of twelve gauge Keystone copper-bearing steel which positively resists rust and corrosion. It affords the permanent protection we desire for the remains of our loved ones. (Stone, brick and concrete vaults let water in and hold it.) We supply the Clark Grave Vault because it has proved to be the most perfect form of protection. It is guaranteed for fifty years.

Mrs. C. L. Herring & Son, Keytesville, Mo.



THIS Is Intended for YOU If You Owe Me

Come in and settle your account right now. Don't wait any longer. I must have these accounts collected by Jan. 1, 1923. After that date I must turn them over to a collector.

Keytesville Lumber Co.  
A. F. ARRINGTON